

# Legislative Background Brief

for the  
Economic Affairs Interim Committee

January 2012

**Board of Public Accountants**

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**Board (2-15-1756, MCA)** = 7 members appointed by the governor with the consent of the Senate. Of these, at least 4 members must be certified public accountants who are certified under Title 37, chapter 50, and actively engaged in public accounting and who have at least 5 years of CPA experience. A fifth member may be either a CPA with the above criteria or a public accountant licensed under Title 37, chapter 50, who is actively engaged in public accounting and has held a license for 5 years before being appointed. The two public members may not be engaged in public accounting. Members serve staggered 4-year terms.

**Board Members** (end of term in parentheses)

<b>Licensed Representatives:</b> Michael Johns, Deer Lodge, CPA (7/1/2014) Jack Meyer, Missoula, CPA (7/1/2012) Rick Reisig, Great Falls, CPA (7/1/2013) Linda Harris, Absarokee, CPA (7/1/2013) Vacancy - one position	<b>Public Members:</b> Kathy VanDyke, Bozeman (7/1/2014)  Beatrice Rosenleaf, Anaconda (7/1/2012)
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**Number of Licensees, FY 2011 ... 4,230 FY2010\* ... 4,414 FY 2009\* ... 4,335**

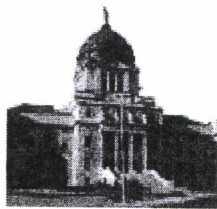
By Type, FY 2011:	Certified Public Accountants	3,233
	Licensed Public Accountants	5
	Accounting Offices	695

\* Includes CPA Special Permits, which sunsetted with passage of HB 80, which allowed those with a valid certified public accountant's license in another state to practice in Montana without obtaining a separate license and made them subject to the board's authority if practicing in this state. The number for all years does not include the public accountant exam candidates who pay a fee and are a cost but may or may not become licensed in this state.

**States WITHOUT Public Accounting Boards:** Hawaii and Wisconsin (state handles)

**Revenues/Expenditures FY2009-2010 and Budgets for FY2012-2013**

	Revenues		Expenditures	
	Licensing	Other	Personal Services	Operating
FY 2009	\$318, 246		\$337,442	
FY 2010	\$358,923 (base)		\$368,382 (actual)	
			Budgets	
FY 2012			\$370,984	
FY 2013			\$371,278	



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## Board of Funeral Service

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**Board** = 6 members appointed by the Governor with the consent of the Senate. Three must be licensed morticians. One is a public member not engaged in mortuary science or funeral directing. One is a licensed crematory operator or technician or mortician engaged in a crematory operation. One must be a representative of a cemetery company governed by Title 37, chapter 19, part 8. Terms are staggered, for 5 years.

<b>Licensed Morticians</b> Ronald Brothers, Hamilton (7/1/2012) R.J. Brown, Lewistown (7/1/2014) William Cronin, Havre (7/1/2013)	<b>Cemetery Representative</b> Bart Thompson, Helena (7/1/2012)
<b>Crematory Operator</b> Thomas Meeks, Great Falls (7/1/2015)	<b>Public Member</b> John Tarr, Helena (7/1/2012)

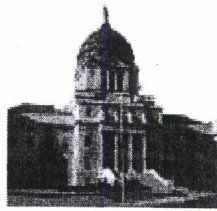
## Number of Active Licensees and Licensing Fees (active renewal in parentheses)

	FY 2010 Licensees	Licensees September 2011	Fees
Morticians	189	162, of which 23 out of state	\$250 (\$200)
Crematory Operators	73	78, of which 1 out of state	\$200 (\$100)
Crematory Technicians	37	37, of which 1 is out of state	\$200 (\$100)
Mortuaries	79	73	\$200 (\$300)
Branch Facilities	14	15, of which 1 is out of state	\$250 (\$50)
Privately Owned Cemeteries	9	10	\$1,250 (\$1000/5 yrs)
Crematoria	31	32	\$250 (\$300)

## Revenues FY2008-FY2010 and Budgets for FY 2009-2013

	Revenues		Expenditures	
	Licensing	Other	Personal Services	Operating
<b>FY 2009</b>	<b>\$89,985</b>		<b>\$91,979</b>	
FY 2010			\$41,971	\$51,742
FY 2011			<b>Budgeted Expenditures</b>	
FY 2012	not available	not available	\$93,423	
FY 2013	not available	not available	\$93,470	





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## Board of Medical Examiners

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**Board** = 13 members appointed by the governor with the consent of the Senate. Of these, 5 members must have a degree of doctor of medicine and 1 of these must have experience in emergency medicine; 1 member with a degree of doctor of osteopathy; 1 member who is a licensed podiatrist; 1 member who is a licensed nutritionist; 1 member who is a licensed physician assistant (PA); 1 member who is a volunteer emergency medical technician (EMT); and 1 member who is a licensed acupuncturist.

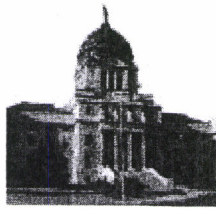
### Board Members (end of term in parentheses)

<b>Licensed Representatives:</b>	<b>Public Members:</b>
Tanja Brekke, Bozeman -- Acupuncturist (9/1/2015)	Carole Erickson, Missoula (9/1/2013)
Ryan Burke, Great Falls -- Volunteer EMT (9/1/2013)	Eileen Sheehy, Billings (9/1/2013)
Dwight Thompson, Harlowton -- PA-Certified (9/1/2013)	
Pat Bollinger, Helena -- Nutritionist (9/1/2013)	
Bruce Hayward, McAllister -- Osteopath (9/1/2014)	
Dean Center, Bozeman -- Physician (9/1/2012)	
Anna Earl, Chester -- Physician (9/1/2014)	
Mary Anne Guggenheim, Helena -- Physician (9/1/2015)	
Kris Spanjian, Billings -- Physician (9/1/2013)	
James Upchurch, Hardin -- Physician (9/1/2015)	
Nathan Thomas, Missoula -- Podiatrist (9/1/2013)	

<b>Number of Licensees, FY2010</b>	<b>9,794</b>	<b>FY 2009</b>
.....9,472		
Emergency Medical Technicians-Basic .....	3,156	
Emergency Medical Technicians-First Responder... 741		Acupuncturists .....
147		
Emergency Medical Technicians-Intermediate .....	61	Nutritionists .....
Doctors of Osteopathy .....	263	Physician Assistants ...
Doctors of Osteopathy - Telemedicine .....	8	Podiatrists.....
Medical Doctor - Telemedicine .....	154	
Physicians (Medical Doctors) ....	4,006	

### Revenues/Expenditures FY2009-2010 and Budgets for FY2012-2013

	Revenues		Expenditures	
	Licensing	Other	Personal Services	Operating
FY 2009	\$1,029,272		\$919,901	
FY 2010			\$509,364	\$113,853
			Budgets	
FY 2012			\$1,355,149	



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## Board of Pharmacy

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### Board Members = 7 members

<b>Licensed Pharmacists = 4</b> Lee Ann Bradley, Missoula (7.1.2015) Michael Bertagnolli, Three Forks (7.1.2014) Rebecca Deschamps, Missoula (7.1.2014) Shirley Baumgartner, Glasgow (7.1.2016)	<b>Registered Pharmacy Technician = 1</b> Rebekah Matovich, Columbus (7.1.2013)
<b>Public Members = 2</b> Frances Carlson, Great Falls (7.1.2013)	Susan Hagen, Columbia Falls (7.1.2012)

### Number of Licensees, FY2011

Pharmacists .....	1,789	Community Pharmacy .....	253
Pharmacy Interns .....	323	Mail Order Pharmacy .....	315
Technicians in Training .....	201	Institutional Pharmacy .....	90
Registered Pharmacy Technician .....	1,078	Wholesale Drug Distributor .....	723
Dangerous Drug Researcher .....	8	Outpatient Surgical Center .....	12
		Class IV Facility .....	1

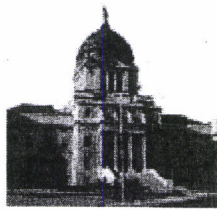
### Revenues FY2008-FY2010 and Budgets for FY 2009-2013

	Revenues		Expenditures	
	Licensing	Other	Personal Services	Operating
FY 2009	\$912,422		\$615,945	
FY 2010	\$955,659	\$24,620	\$374,707	\$278,865
FY 2011	not available	not available		
FY 2012	not available	not available	\$391,265*	\$331,349*
FY 2013	not available	not available	\$391,690*	\$330,932*

\*Projected

Expenditures, FY 2010	Direct	Indirect	
		Admin	Div. IT/Bureau
Personal Services, incl. per diem	\$334,785	\$15,728	\$24,194
Operating Expenses			





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## Board of Dentistry

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### Board = 10 members (term expiration in parentheses)

<b>Licensed Dentists = 5</b> Dale Chamberlain, Lewistown (3.29.14) Aimee Ameline, Great Falls (3.29.13) David Johnson, Great Falls (3.29.12) Terry Klise, Missoula (3.29.16) George Johnston, Dillon (3.29.15)	<b>Dental Hygienists = 2</b> Jennifer Porter, Bozeman (3.29.14) Carol Price, Clancy (3.29.12)
<b>Denturist = 1</b> Cliff Christenot, Libby (3.29.12)	<b>Public Members = 2</b> James Madison, Jefferson City (3.29.12) Luella Vogel, Great Falls (3.29.16)

### Number of Licensees, FY2011

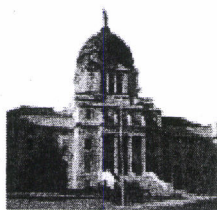
Dentists ..... 776      Dental Hygienists ..... 720  
Denturists ..... 18

### Revenues FY2008-FY2010 and Budgets for FY 2009-2013

	Revenues		Expenditures	
	Licensing	Other	Personal Services	Operating
FY 2009	\$200,507		\$220,301	
FY 2010	\$211,104	\$2,130	\$85,153	\$148,410
FY 2011				
FY 2012	not available	not available	\$97,272*	\$139,119*
FY 2013	not available	not available	\$97,256*	\$139,277*

\*Projected

Expenditures, FY 2010	Direct	Indirect	
		Admin	Div. IT/Bureau
Personal Services, incl. per diem	\$73,073	\$5,169	\$6,911
Operating Expenses			
Consulting, Printing, IT, Other	\$56,170	\$2,666	



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## Board of Chiropractors

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**Board = 4 members** (term expiration in parentheses)

<b>Licensed Chiropractors = 3</b> John Sando, Butte (1.1.2012) Scott Hansing, Helena (1.1.2014) Cathleen Fellows, Billings (1.1.2013)	<b>Public Member = 1</b> Alice Whiteman, Missoula (1.1.2012)
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Number of Licensees, FY2010 ..... 511

### Revenues FY2008-FY2010 and Budgets for FY 2009-2013

	Revenues		Expenditures	
	Licensing	Other	Personal Services	Operating
FY 2009	\$103,960		\$76,914	
FY 2010	\$103,370	\$845	\$55,265	\$41,737
FY 2011				
FY 2012	not available	not available	\$63,171*	\$35,376*
FY 2013	not available	not available	\$63,161*	\$35,453*

\*Projected

Expenditures, FY 2010	Direct	Indirect	
		Admin	Div. IT/Bureau
Personal Services, incl. per diem	\$47,365	\$3,759	\$4,141
Operating Expenses			
Consulting, Printing, IT, Other	\$2,408		\$1,780
Supplies, incl. Computer	\$1,809		\$964
Postage, mailing, IT network, voice srv	\$1,134		\$1,753
Travel for Board Members	\$7,774		na
Rent and other expenses*	\$3,050		\$8,311
Legal and hearings	\$12,754		--

\*Includes computer and office equipment repair, dues, education & training, and fee collection expense for direct expenses and rent of \$2,643, DLI OIT expense of \$1,739, and indirect agency of \$3,928 for indirect expenses.